

one The wings of the Grist mill was discovered last night about midnight to be caving in & the water running through I had it Stop'd but never could find where the water made through

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J H Blount

May 20th 1809

Addressed: John G Blount Esquire
Washington

John Gray Blount to J. H. Blount

[July 2, 1809]

I send up a Bill of Flooring Plank say 1500 feet 1600 feet long 700 feet Inch Boards 16 feet long 2000 feet of 3/4 Inch quartered 16 feet long & 2000 feet [illegible] without saying what thickness but I suppose Inch 16 feet long the above Bill is for Tho^a Stewart² of Tarb^o and if you have water I wish it compleated as near as may be without too much trouble to come down when the hands can conveniently bring it

I wish the Sheathing for Redmond brought down as soon as possible and with it as much as convenient of the Lumber most in the way other than the flooring and last Inch Plank sawed I suppose it will be Plank, Scantling & Boards assorted and so wish I wrote you to the same effect by Jerry but have received no answer when it will probably be down please let me hear by Frank in the morning

Yours &c
JG. Blount

July 2^d 1809

Addressed: M^r JH Blount

²There was a Thomas Stewart of Tyrrell County who served in the North Carolina legislature. He was a merchant and a currency speculator. This could be the same man mentioned in the letter. Keith and others, *Blount Papers*, II, 35n, 36.